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The plug operator will be politely invited to vacate the Western Union offices.

The telegraph strikers according to the Associated Press despatches are breaking ranks all along the line.

It is time that three story buildings on our business streets gave way to five story blocks.

A SOLEMN still broods over Washington, which is only broken by the echoes of William A. Chandler's profanity over the result in New Hampshire.

WARM weather cannot stop the rush of new settlers into northern Nebraska, where hundreds of thousands of acres have been taken up since the opening of spring.

It is denied that Mr. Gladstone was an original subscriber to the confederate loan. Several hundred other Englishmen wish that they were in Mr. Gladstone's shoes.

The empty hat is being passed around among Denver merchants but the deficiency in the receipts of the Grand Army reunion still continues in the vicinity of \$26,000.

A BUFFALO banker who was convicted of complicity in the steal of the city treasurer of over half a million dollars, has been sentenced to the state prison for four years.

We forgot to include the giant footprints in the Nevada sandstone among the regular summer discoveries in our truly wonderful country.

You ought to see the giant footprints in the Colorado sandstone which extend all the way from Fort Collins to Hascall's park.

PAVING petitions are circulating freely now that the council has again ordered paving in the cross streets, and the U. P. curbstone and sandstone brigade are hard at work in the interests of Fort Collins stone.

THE home organ of Governor Dawes makes a desperate effort to justify Stout's capital steal. Its principal argument is: (1) That Silver is a fool. (2) That Silver is a knave.

More than \$60,000 of grading is now being done in Omaha, and other public works are in progress, which will bring up the total expenditure for improvements in this city up to more than half a million dollars.

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THAT PRINTING STEAL.

The councilmen have again been convicted (in The Bee office) of all the sins in the calendar, and the telegraph pole again stares them in the face.

Of course, having had a fat steal on the people, THE BEE desires to continue it this year. The Republican made a bid, but with no special desire to compete for the work.

The city printing of the past year has been a two-edged steal. It was first a steal because in the bid (not a previous) it was lower than THE BEE's, but it was a much greater steal because Rosewater charged a great deal more than the contract permitted him to charge.

Our amiable conemporary is slightly mistaken in several particulars.

First: It is true that registration lists have always been paid for by the square same as any other city advertising. It is not true that THE BEE last year or at any other previous time, charged local rates for the registration lists.

Second: It is true that the Republican made a lower bid last year than THE BEE and the council allowed the Republican to print city advertisements during one month while the question of advertising was pending.

Third: It is absolutely false that the contract awarded last week by the council to an alleged paper that circulates even less than the Republican and is still in its swaddling clothes, is lower than the bid made by the Bee for registration lists.

It is hardly worth while to refer to the recklessness of making a mere fly sheet that fell still when it was born, the official paper of the city merely to gratify personal spite because THE BEE has thwarted the corrupt schemes of the present council in the interest of the citizens of Omaha.

Besides the Suez canal, nothing has lately been exciting more party feeling in England than what is known as the Albert bill in India, which is a measure extending the criminal jurisdiction of native Hindoo judges of a certain rank to Europeans, who have hitherto only been triable before men of their own race.

In conclusion, let us remark, that the people have long ago made up their minds which paper faithfully represents the pockets of the tax payers.

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